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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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For: Soluble Interleukin-1 Receptor Accessory Molecule
Inventors: BEDNARIK *et al.*
Our Ref: 1488.0450001/EKS/GLL

Dear Examiner Kuntz:

As you requested, enclosed please find a copy of the prosecution history of the captioned application, as it appears in our records. If we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S.
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1. U.S. Utility Patent Application entitled:

Soluble Interleukin-1 Receptor Accessory Molecule

and naming as inventors:

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- a. A specification containing:
 - (i) 77 pages of description prior to the claims, including a sequence listing on pages 60 to 77;
 - (ii) 6 pages of claims (19 claims);
 - (iii) a one (1) page abstract;
 - b. 4 sheets of drawings: (Figures 1, 2A, 2B and 3);
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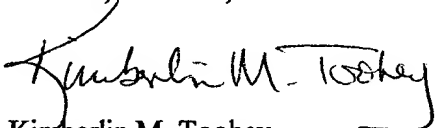
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This patent application is being submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)(1) without Declaration and without filing fee.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), the paper copy of the sequence listing and the computer readable copy of the sequence listing submitted herewith in the above application are the same.

Respectfully submitted,

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